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In re Application of
Roberto Pedro Barcala
Application No. 10/707,899
Filed: January 22, 2004
Attorney Docket No. 01141606

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 24, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed August 30, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned at midnight on November 30, 2004.

The statement claiming small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27 submitted with the instant petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) has been made of record and small entity status has been accorded.

The Power of Attorney and Change of Correspondence Address has been accepted and recorded.

The petition satisfies the requirement of 37 CFR 1.137 (b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of an Amendment; (2) the petition fee of \$750; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the petition filed February 24, 2006 is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3229.

The application matter is being referred to Technology Center 3700, Art Unit 3724 for further processing.

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